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SUBJ: EXTENSION OF FOOD AID CONVENTION (FAC)

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1. IN REVIEWING PROPOSED AGENDA ITEM ON FOOD AID FOR WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE (WFC) U.S. DEL TO FIRST WFC PREPCOM REGRETTED THAT "MAJOR PARTICIPANT" WAS BEHIND IN ITS CONTRIBUTIONS AND HAS NOT YET DECIDED TO CONTINUE AS A PARTICIPANT. HE STRESSED THE NEED FOR FOOD AID DONORS TO CONTINUE THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE MAJOR CURRENT MULTILATERAL FOOD AID EFFORT WHILE WFC REVIEWING SUBJECT AND SAID U.S. PREPARED DO SO, DESIROUS OF DOING THIS, BUT MUST BE ASSURED OF CONTINUED EFFECTIVE PARTICIPATION OF OTHER MAJOR PARTIES.

2. AUSTRALIAN FOLLOWED UP U.S. REMARKS WITH EXPRESSION CONCERN FAC WAS IN DANGER NOT BEING RENEWED AND STATED HOPE THAT PROBLEMS PREVENTING ITS EXTENSION WOULD BE RESOLVED.

3. UK DELEGATE IN INFORMAL DISCUSSION SHOWED SOME SENSITIVITY TO INTRODUCTION FAC ISSUE, NOTING THAT FAC AND FOOD AID IN GENERAL NOT SOLE AVENUE FOR EXTENDING ASSISTANCE TO LDCS. HE ADDED THT COUNTRIES NOT POSSESSING SIGNIFICANT FOOD RESOURCES FOR AID PURPOSES COULD EXTEND VALUABLE ASSISTANCE IN FOOD PRODUCTION THROUGH OTHER EQUALLY VALUABLE MEANS.
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